Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi, are engaged in legal battle with Institute's authority;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) whether it is also a fact that some of the faculty members are facing CBI enquiry ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KM. SELJA) : (a) and (b) A total number of 13 cases involving 102 faculty/ ex-faculty members, including Sc'entific and Design Staff, are pending in various courts in Delhi.

(c) One member of the facutly who is facing a CBI enquiry is under suspension.

Missing of Joliet Curie Gold Medal (or NMML

2091. SHRI MD. SALIM ; Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 1701 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 24th July, 1992 :

(a) what are the reasons for not lodg ing the FIR with police; and

(b) what are the details of the find ings of the departmental enquiry and action thereon ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPET. OF CULTURE) (KUM. SELJA) : (a) As no theft or malpractice was suspected, no FIR was lodged.

(b) Since the medal was located the enquiry was wound up.

Director of Jawaharlai Nehru Memorial Museum and Library

2092. SHRI MD. SALIM : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) number of times service extension was granted to the Director of Jawahar Lai Nehru Memorial Museum and Libiary together with the reasons therefor;

(b) whether it is a fact that certain irregularities were pointed out by some MP; and public personalities in respect of Jawaharlal Nehru Memorial Museum and Libraiy during the past one year; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof ?

J HE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUM. SELJA) : (a) The Director of the Nehru Memorial Museum & Library has been granted two extensions. The first extension of two years on his attaining the age of 58 years was given by the Executive Council of Nehru Memorial Museum and L'brary, in the interest of the society. The second extension of five years has been given by the Government as recommended by the Executive Council, Nehru Memorial Museum and Library on two grounds ; the necessity of continued leadership by Prof. Ravinder Kumar, particularly fot scholarly research which he has personally promoted in similar academic institutions, extension of service to the age of 65 is common.

(b) and (c) Certain complaints have been received. These relate to a few manuscript collections with the organisation, grant of Fellowships by the organisation, allotment of space to other Societies and the Juliet Curie's Gold Medt'l given to the Nehru Memorial Museum and Librarv.